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SALOONS OF VALLEJO TO GO OUT OF BUSINESS AT ONCE

By the order which has come from Secretary of the Navy Daniels today, it is believed that the saloons of Giant, Pinole, Hercules, Rodeo, Tormey, Selby, Valona, Crockett and Port Costa may be compelled to go out of business. The secretary's order establishes a dry zone of five miles around the Mare Island Navy Yard and it is believed these towns will all come within this radius.

When the final interpretation of Secretary Daniels orders are received from Washington those who have given the matter thought are all of the opinion the saloons of this county mentioned above will be found included in the dry zone and there is something bordering on a panic existing in these towns today among the dispensers of liquid refreshments.

The City of Vallejo goes bone dry by mandate of Secretary of the Navy Daniels, who yesterday signed a long expected order prohibiting the sale of intoxicants within five miles of certain specifically named naval training stations or camps.

Mare Island was in the Secretary's list, which also created a five-mile dry zone about the Naval Academy at Annapolis, the training stations at Great Lakes, Ill; Newport, R. I.; Norfolk, Va.; and Hampton Roads, the marine corps stations at Quantico, Va., and Port Royal, S. C.

Just when the order closing Vallejo cafes and saloons will be put into effect has not yet been determined. Captain Harry George, commandant of the navy yard at Mare Island, stated last night he did not yet know whether this order would come through him or whether the office of United States Attorney John W. Preston. Captain George had received no official notification.

As in the case of the army camp zones an exception is made of the serving liquor in private homes to members of the family or bona-fide guests.

Pending the cleaning up of Vallejo and the establishment of improved conditions by the commandant is limiting liberty to that city to men who have families there or are residing in the city.

The five mile dry zone about the Mare Island Navy Yard will close in Vallejo all of its 22 saloons, four wholesale iquor houses and four retail "family" liquor stores. It will also stop the sale of intoxicants in four social clubs, nine restaurants two hotes and, on the outskirts of the town, in six roadhouses.

Women of Woodcraft will entertain in Woodmen Hall next Monday night with a cabaret party. Whist, dancing, music and other amusements will feature the evening.

DOLLAR OF TEN YEARS AGO SHRUNK FULLY ONE-HALF

WASHINGTON, March 7—The high cost of living in the national capital has not been due entirely to the war, as statistics compiled by the Department of Labor today show that the food purchasing power of a dollar has been shrinking for ten years in Washington. A dollar now will only buy as much flour as 50 cents would ten years ago. A dollar's worth of cornmeal could have been bought for 34 cents and a dollar now is only worth 40 cents in the purchase of eggs.

The amount of sirloin steak which a dollar will buy has decreased from 5.2 pounds to 2.7 pounds; pork chops from 6.3 pounds to 2.6 pounds; bacon, sliced, from 5.3 pounds to 2.0 pounds; ham, sliced, from 4.4 pounds to 2.1 pounds; lard from 7.3 pounds to 3.0 pounds; hens from 5.6 pounds to 2.9 pounds; butter 2.7 pounds to 1.7 pounds; milk, per quarts, 12.5 quarts to 7.1 quarts; potatoes from 4.3 pecks to 1.9 pecks; sugar from 18.2 pounds to 10.4 pounds.

LOCAL BOARD HAS POWER TO PLACE CLASSIFICATION

Through the suggestion of Adjutant General J. J. Borree, Governor Wm. D. Stephens has secured an amendment to the selective service regulations of the federal government, which will effect a saving to Uncle Sam of over $50,000 in California alone.

Provost Marshal General Crowder has just made the announcement of the amendment, which gives local exemption boards the power to determine the special or limited service for which a registrant is qualified, without reference to the medical advisory boards.

"Not alone is this a great saving to the nation," said General Borree, "but as there are only ten medical advisory boards in California, it will prevent the unnecessary traveling of registrants for hundreds of miles to reach one of these boards.

"This often involved a loss of three days' time from a man's occupation, with the added expense of transportation to the nation.

"Through the securing of this amendment, a registrant will now not be required to lose any time from his civil employment, nor will he be occasioned financial loss."

BACON MAY BUILD MARTINEZ POSTOFFICE

MARTINEZ, March 7.—Charles G. Bacon the Richmond abstract man, in submitting his bid for the Martinez post office for the next ten years contemplates, if he secures the award, a new two story building on his property corner Las Juntas and Escobar streets. It was not planned to put the office in the building now occupied by the Martinez Creamery.

BRITISH ENVOYS LEAVING RUSSIA; FRANCIS REMAINS

WASHINGTON, March 7—Ambassador Francis, reporting to the State Department under date of March 4, said he was temporarialy quartered with the Siamese and Brazilian diplomates in a clubhouse placed at their disposal by the mayor of Vologda. He added that a few of the Red Cross and publicity workers were still in Petrograd.

The State Department was without advices of the ambassador's intention to leave Vologda, but it was pointed out that any move was dependent upon his own judgment, although it was not expected he would leave Russian territory.

A dispatch to the State Department from Sweden said that the British charge d'affaires, accompanied by eight members of the staff, had left Helsingfors March 4 for Sweden via Tornea.

U. S. POSITION EXPLAINED

VOLOGDA, Russia, March 7—In a public statement to the people of Vologda on the international situation as it affects Russia, David R. Francis, the American ambassador said:

America has no plans or desires for territorial conquest in Russia. While the present government has never been formally recognized by my government or any of the allies, both Premier Lenine and Foreign Minister Trotzky are aware, because I so advised them, that I had recommended to my government that it recognize any government the Russian people might select and would also earnestly urge that material assistance be rendered to such government provided that it would continue the war against the central powers.

The success of Germany would result in the loss by the Russian people of all the liberties they have gained by the revolution. Consequently the free people of the United States sincerely hope that the severe terms of the separate peace imposed by Germany will not be ratified by the Russian people.

STATE DEFENSE COUNCIL HELD TO BE INEFFICIENT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Rebellion against the State Council of Defense burst forth last night as the outcome of the two days' session of that organization with the various County Councils of the State. District Attorney George W. Smith of Santa Cruz county led the attack on what he declared was the one man power of the State Council and the lack of co-operation of that body with the various County Councils.

Smith announced last night after the session that within thirty days a movement will be launched to completely reorganize the war defense programme in the State and to bring within one central organization all of the County Councils, which, he said, were manifesting their thorough disapproval of the State Council administration under A. H. Naftzger.

It was charged after the meeting yesterday that the County Councils of Defense had been choaked off in their efforts to present important war problems and matters touching upon the conduct of the defense programme; that their work was being nullified by lack of co-operation and that the State Council had become merely the expression of one man's views.

District Attorney Smith said that from all parts of the state many loyal men had come to take part in what they believed would be a session for the exchange of views on many outstanding points, notably the protection of the people in the various sections of the State from traitorous organizations, from sedition and the like, violent and distrubing in many phases.

That Smith asserted, was not done and he said that not a few of the officials, judges, district attorneys and sheriffs, members of the County Councils, were overlooked entirely by the State Council of Defense Vice Chairman.

CIVIC CENTER CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Mrs. F. H. Welsh, for the past two years one of the most active and popular workers in the busy Civic Center Improvement Club, has been named as president for the coming year. Mrs. Welsh did not seek the position of club leader, but the position was given her by unanimous consent of the club members.

Mrs. Samuel Dalve was chosen vice-president, Mrs. William Beach as secretary and Mrs. J. Waite as treasurer. The club has abandoned almost all of its club functions except Red Cross work, in which it has taken a most active part. The club rooms in Twenty-third street near Macdonald have been turned over to the Red Cross workers and much good has been accomplished.

A laborer by the name of Emolos Gutterez was picked up last night at the Barrett avenue crossing of the Southern Pacific and taken to the Craven hospital, where he is being treated by Dr. U. S. Abbott. The man is suffering from some sort of illness, brought on by insufficient food and exposure.

GERMANS FEAR OF JAPANESE INVASION

GENEVA, March 7—The German press is greatly agitated over the possibility of Japan intervening in Siberia, and the German people have already been warned to expect it.

Advices from Berlin today quoted the Socialist newspaper Vorwaerts as saying that President Wilson undoubtedly is giving deep consideration to the matter and that there probably will be an agreement by which Japan will land troops in Asiatic Russia to prevent the Transsiberian Railway and the supplies at Vladivostok from falling into German hands.

The Rhenish Westphalian Gazette assures its readers that "Japan could not possibly get an army to the eastern front."

The Wezer Zeitung, the organ of the German shipping interests, adds its assurance to those of the Rhenish Westphalian Gazette.

MENDELSSOHN LADIES HOLD MEET TODAY

Today was James Whitcomb Riley Day with the Mendelssohn ladies at the club's regular meeting which took place this afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. W. Crumdick, 637 Tenth street, the hostesses being Mrs Krumdick and Miss Freda Moyle. The affair was largely attended by the members of the club and a very enjoyable afternoon was the result of the delightful program and refreshments.

The following program was rendered, all having to do with the works of the late James Whitcomb Riley:

Instrumental solo, Miss Freda Moyle.

Reading, Mrs. Paul Dunlap; Mrs. John G. Gerlach.

Vocal solo, Mrs. J. S. Moyle.

Reading, Mrs. H. G. Stidham, Mrs. H. A. Stiver.

ENEMY RAIDS REPULSED BY WATCHFUL BRITISH TROOPS

LONDON, March 7—A raid attempted by the enemy last night east of Epehy, under cover of a heavy artillery barrage, was completely repulsed, the war office reports. Other hostile raiding parties which endeavored to reach our lines southeast of Bois Granier and east of Poelcapelle were equally unsuccessful.

The enemy's artillery has been active in the Scarpe Valley, west of Lens and east of Ypres, and shortly before dawn developed considerable activity in the Neuve Chapelle sector.

After two days of wind and rain the weather cleared slightly on the afternoon of Tuesday. Bombs were dropped on railway sidings northeast of Lille.

In air fighting two hostile machines were downed and one was driven down out of control. One of ours is missing.

After dark the Ingelmunster Railway station and an airdrome northeast of St. Quentin were heavily bombed. All our machines returned.

RUSS PEOPLE ARE FLEEING TO EVADE GERMAN INVADERS

COPENHAGEN, March 7—There is a heavy exodus of all classes from Petrograd towards Moscow, and the railway lines are all congested to the point of suffication, said a dispatch from Petrograd today.

It added that the city is full of rumors and that high excitement prevails. One report is that the Germans have renewed their advances from Narva, while another is that the Bolshevik government may repudiate the peace treaty signed with the Germans at Brest-Litovsk.

The dispatch failed to state whether or not Premier Lenine and Foreign Minister Trotzky had gone to Moscow, but it is presumed that if they have not already departed they soon will do so. Both are to take part in the all-Russian congress which is scheduled to open at Moscow on Thursday to consider the peace situation.

JAMBURG CAPTURED

LONDON, March 7—The Germans have captured Jamburg, 68 miles southeast of Petrograd, while the Turco-German offensive is continuing beyond Trebizond, says a Russian official agency dispatch received today. This action, adds the statement, is despite the official announcement by the German high command that hostilities against Russia have ceased.

The German advance eastward into Russia stopped early Tuesday, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Petrograd dated Wednesday, but was resumed during the night on several sectors in order to allow the Germans to reach and consolidate the line between Jamburg and Gdoff (east of Lake Peipus and south of Narva). It is reported in Petrograd that banks have been reopened, the property of landlords restored and other conditions approaching the old regime revived in towns occupied by the Germans.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. K. Sanborn, 830 Pennsylvania avenue, for the purpose of holding the annual meeting and election of officers for the ensuing year. The members of the organization are respectfully invited to attend.

MORE RAIN IS PREDICTED BY WEATHER MAN FOR TONIGHT

The rain of last night, while not heavy was constant almost the entire night and extended throughout Contra Costa county and for the most part the northern portions of the state. It came down in a gentle shower and soaked into the ground, doing a world of good to the farmers who are still lacking considerable moisture in order to insure bountiful crops for this year.

And this is not all. According to the predictions of the weather man in San Francisco the rain will continue tonight and tomorrow and perhaps longer. In fact there is no telling when it will stop, for there is a general cloudy condition all up and down the Pacific Coast.

The rain in the interior, according to the San Francisco weather bureau, was greater than in the bay region.

CONTRA COSTA PREPARING TO IMPROVE ITS HIGHWAYS

MARTINEZ, March 7 — Fifty thousand tons of rock and sand and 36,000 barrels of cement will be required by Contra Costa county for its highway construction work this year according to the estimate submitted Tuesday by Ralph R. Arnold, county engineer who was authorized by the Supervisors Monday to prepare specifications for the materials which will be needed.

It is the intention of the county to receive bids for the furnishing of these materials to be delivered as speedily as possible and to supply the same to the contractors under supervision thus calling upon the highway builders to bid only on the labor involved and the necessary minor grading. There will be 32,000 tons of crushed rock or gravel required, 15,000 tons of sand and 36,000 barrels of cement for building the roads outlined for this year.

The largest contract job this year will be between Antioch and Byron the route for which link, Division No. 7 was finally designed Monday. The highway will be built from Antioch to Oaklay thence via Almond avenue to Brentwood thence to connect with the Byron division a distance in all of 14.75 miles.

Through her attorney, W. S. Wells Jr., Elizabeth Gallagher, a former resident of Richmond, on Wednesday filed suit for a divorce from Edward A. Gallagher on the grounds of cruelty.

Harold Lyman, chemist at the Standard Oil works, spent Sunday with his parents in Santa Cruz.

ITALIANS ARE BLASTING WAY TO OUST FOE FROM PIAVE WAR ZONE

ROME, March 7—The Italian and enemy batteries on important sectors of the front have again taken up reciprocal firing activity. The statement from the war office also reports effective work by Italian airships.

The statement reads:

There was a lively renewal of reciprocal fire between Lake Garda and the Astico, in the region of Montello and along the coastal zone. Our batteries made effective concentrations of fire on enemy troops in movement in the Asiago basin, south of Primolano, on the back slopes of Col della Berretta and in the vicinity or Lampol to the left of the Piave. South of Tierno hostile reconnaissance parties who attempted to reach our lines were repulsed with losses. On the Pasubio we exploded a mine, damaging the enemy's positions.

Our aircraft bombarded the enemy aviation grounds at Motta di Livenza and a column of troops marching in the neighborhood of Oderzo. A British aviator brought down a hostile machine.

CALIFORNIA IS ASSURED BIG FRUIT CROP

SACRAMENTO, March 7 —"The the Sacramento Valley," according fruit crop is excellent throughout to Frank B. McKevitt, president of the Producers' Fruit Company of this city. "The earlier varieties of fruits are in bloom and the later varieties are in full budding stage, showing promise of a full normal bloom. In fact, the entire fruit crop at this time promises a bumper crop, with the possible exception of apricots on non-irrigable land, which at the present time do not promise more than half a crop. The present outlook for fruit is much better than it was at this time last year.

"Grains at present promise well. March is usually a wet month, and with occasional showers during March and April, the outlook for all varieties was never better. One cannot make a positive prediction this early in the season," McKevitt said, "but by the middle of April, if the outlook is as bright as it is now I would say that California was assured the largest crop in her history."

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An excessive nationalism has been blamed for the present afflictions of the world. Yet disintegration, ectual or potential, contain larger possibilities of evil to mankind.

It would seem as if some nationalities undergo an insensible molecular change, which is only revealed by accident or by some sort of violence. Under a sufficient blow, sometimes a nation that was once a coherent mass falls into fragments or dissolves into particles.

From such nation the binding cement of national self-consciousness has been withdrawn and what was once a solid body has become a heap of fragments at the mercy of the whirlwinds.

Excessive nationalism may inspire a people to its own catastrophe, but from such a catastrophe a virile people will in time recover, as history by numerous examples attests. But a dissolving nationalism, such as we have witnessed in Russia, courts worse than mere disaster; it insures destruction.

There is no continued security for any nation. It cannot live upon its past. The deeds of its dead heroes should be inspiration to its living representatives, but do not guarantee them immunity. In every period of its existence the nation faces new problems, new oppositions, new necessities. Its representatives must deal with the new predicaments as resolutely and as resourcefully as their forebears did with the former ones.

The position of England today illustrates the changing conditions which every nation must face. England's greatness depends upon the seas. Without uninterrupted commerce between all its parts and the rest of the world, the British empire would fall to pieces. Because of this truth Great Britain has maintained an enormous navy.

Now it is not certain that the British navy is or can be effective against the submarine blockade. What is true of Great Britain is true in lesser degree of Japan. But, with Germany in control of middle Europe, the same would be true of the German empire. From Berlin to Bagdad is a mighty land empire from which the central powers could live even if cut off from the ocean commerce of the world. True, the living would not be pleasant but they could live.

But if the submarine should cut off ocean traffic with the British Isle, the British people soon would be starved to death. That is the difference. The same would be true of the Japanese.

If a nation persists, there must be brotherhood, conscious sons and daughters of their country, ready to kill or be killed in the nation's defense.

It is on that account that moral treason is so odious—because it constitutes a destructive agency, a disintegrating acid. That is what socialism has done for Russia. It has eaten the tissue of the nation and destroyed the connective principles which held the people together.

Bal as conditions were in Russia under autocracy, the conditions under socialism are infinitely worse. The people are not so free now as they were under the czar. They have nothing to eat. They cannot travel on the railroads. They have no security of person or property.

The socialists of Russia decided to live without government. Every soldier was a general, every citizen a lawmaker and executive. If a town or province wished to have independent government, let it have it. There was to be no coercion of anybody.

This same miserable propaganda is at work in the United States, and has for its aim results similar to those attained in Russia. If Russia has any lesson for us that lesson should be heeded.

It may seem somewhat silly to the people of this country that every time somebody does something extraordinary in the war in France somebody comes along with a medal and fastens on the doers breast. Our brand of democracy cannot comprehend why this should be done, but the fact is the practice is simply a recognition of merit. When any of us accomplish anything we like to be recognized and be given credit for our accomplishment and that is what this medal for valorous conduct means—recognition. So the practice is not so silly after all.

Russia is getting from the Germans just what she invited by her silly, quibbling policy in the war. If she had emulated France in her achievements and kept fighting the Hun with her millions of men and the resources which might have been brought to bear under intelligent direction, the war would be over now and the land of the Russ would now be free and without the kaiser's yoke on its neck.

Carrying mail by aeroplane is but keeping up with the times and it will not be long when all letter mail will be transported across the continent in this manner. When the world's war is over—as it will be one of these days—there must be some work provided for all the men we are training for the flying service and this will give employment to some of them.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

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Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1917-1918, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the

THIRD MONDAY IN OCTOBER

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next therafter, at six o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL NEXT

at six o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY NEXT,

and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL

next therafter, at six o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior therto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Courthouse at Martinez, Contra Costa county.

MARTIN W. JOOST
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.
Nov 7—Oct 5

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete Registration of Voters is required by law during the year 1918.

Registration closes, for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections in towns of the Sixth Class, on March 8th, 1918; for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election, on July 27, 1918; for the purpose of voting at the General Election, on Oct. 5th, 1918.

No person will be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.

You may reigster with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 1st, 1918.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:
A. C. Faris, Chief Deputy, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington avenue, Richmond.
George K. Drew, 114 Washington avenue, Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla M. Brown Stege Branch Library, Richmond.
Miss Nannie L. Nesbit, 621 Bissel avenue, Richmond.
J. A. Deadrich, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Nellie M. Scott, 635 South 29th street, Richmond.
J. E. Cryan 321 6th street, Richmond.
James M. Stewart, Standard Oil Co., Richmond.
Miss Betty Angell, Chamber of Commerce, Richmond.
M. A. Hays, 2202 Macdonald avenue Richmond.
A. H. Mackinnon, El Cerrito.
W. H. Williams, Giant.
Frank Conlon, El Cerrito.
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6....	.50	.90	1.20	2.00	3.00
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8....	.70	1.20	1.60	2.50	4.00
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FOR SALE—1915 Maxwell roadster in good condition, electric lights and self starter, at a bargain. Call at Buick Garage, Fifteenth and Macdonald avenue. 2-23-tf

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In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE REH, Deceased.

Notice Is Hereby Given, That Monday the 11th day of March, A. D. 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, and the Court Room of Department No. 2 of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the Town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, have been appointed at the time and place for proving Will of said George Reh, deceased, and for hearing the application of Wilhelmine Malnerich, for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary.

Dated, Martinez, February 27, 1918.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.
By S. Wells, Deputy Clerk
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ACANTHA CHAPTER TO HAVE AN INITIATION

Acantha Chapter 249, O. E. S., is to have an initiation in Bank Hall tomorrow evening, to be followed by refreshments and dancing. All members of the Eastern Star are invited to be present and participate.

A committee has charge of the arrangements and have made elaborate preparations to entertain the guests of the evening.

A Word With Women

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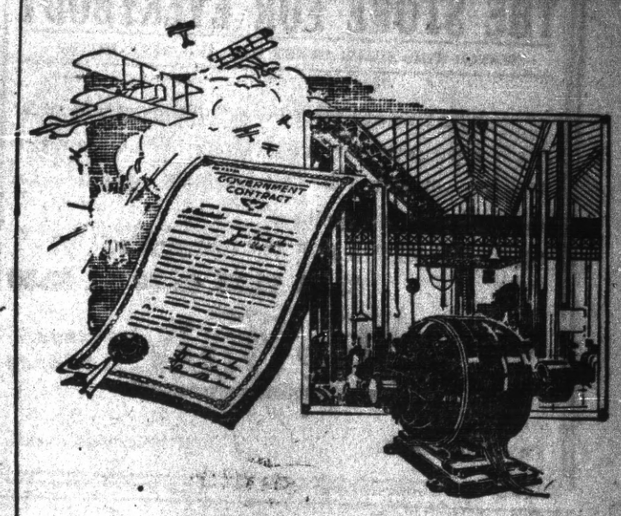

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Elden C. Bryan, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd C. Bryan, of Pinole and a native of Ohio, passed away in that city yesterday. The father of the young man is a carpenter at the Hercules Powder works and the family formerly resided in Fourteenth street, this city and are well known here to a large number of our people.

Besides the father and mother, deceased leaves two brothers to mourn his loss, Frank E. Pole, of Ohio and Charles S. Pole, of Pinole.

Bert Curry, undertaker of this city has charge of the funeral arrangements and announces that services will be held at the family home in Pinole tomorrow at 2 P. M. and from thence the body will be conveyed to Oakland crematory and there cremated.

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You might be a "good gun" all right, Mr. Advertiser but, do you "shoot straight"? The Record-Herald Ad columns will steady your aim.

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Homer Wells, son of T. J. Wells of this city, volunteered in the Naval Reserves some time ago and has been called to report for duty on March 27 at San Pedro.

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SERGEANT WELLS TELLS TERRORS OF PRUSSIAN WARFARE

A large number of citizens packed Lincoln auditorium last night to hear and see Sergeant "Doc" F. F. Wells, the Canadian, who told about his experiences in the trenches in France. Sergeant Wells lost an arm in the war and was sent home on this account. He is devoting his time in going about the country telling the people regarding the terrors of Prussianism and what it will mean to the people of the United States and the world unless we can win this war.

A part of his interesting address last night was the story of one American boy among the Canadians of a machine gun company. His company was ordered to charge and all were mowed down but the American. He calmly unpacked his gun, carried it forward to a shell hole and set it up. He lighted a cigarette and adjusted the last belt of cartridges in the gun. A thousand Germans charged him and he awaited their coming without a quiver. When his enemies had come within 75 or 100 yards of his position he flung his cigarette and coat to one side and turned his machine on the enemy, mowing them down by the score. He stood at attention when the ammunition run out and was shot through the head with the revolver of a charging German officer.

Sergeant Wells was wounded three times in the left arm, resulting in amputation, and was shot twice in the left leg near the knee with a machine gun. He spent four months in a German prison, undergoing the cruelties that only a German can inflict.

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PROFITEERING MAY COST FISH KING HIS LICENSE

Charged with profiteering in fish on at least 12 different occasions, A. Paladini, wholesale fish dealer of San Francisco, openly refused to produce his books when called to account yesterday afternoon by State Market Director Harris Weinstock. Weinstock has now instructed his attorneys to file a petition in the Superior Court to summon Paladini and his four sons to show cause why their books were not produced.

The case of Paladini is but one of several now before the Market Commission on charges of boosting the price of fish, according to Edgar Allen Forbes, secretary of the State Fish Exchange. Numerous complaints from retail dealers that the schedule fixed by the market director was ignored by the wholesalers, are now under investigation. The evidence in the Paladini case consists of various bills which show definite overchanrges.

As a result of these violations Weinstock declares, consumers have been compelled to pay higher prices for fish. Retail dealers, fearing that Paladini would cut off their supply if they reported the matter to the commission, have paid the excessive charges and then raised the price to consumer, it is claimed.

Repeated warnings have been given Paladini, Weinstock said, in the hope that he would conform to the law. The matter will now be taken up with the Food Administration, with the request that Paladini's license be suspended for the duration of the war, provided that the market director has no power to enforce the wholesaler to comply with regulations.

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LOCAL MENTION

Pertinent remarks about well-known People in Richmond Happenings about Town

The Wesley church Home Missionary society meets tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Wright, 726 Chanslor avenue. The ladies of the city are cordially invited to attend.

The Lorell Club, composed of a number of local young women, announces a patriotic dance for the evening of March 25 in the Lincoln Auditorium. Proceeds will go to the Red Cross.

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ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAHS HOLD FLAG DEDICATION

The dedication of the new service flag and the housewarming of the new quarters in Moose Hall last night by the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs was a very delightful affair and was participated in by a large number of members of the orders.

The meeting last night was the first in the new quarters and the members expressed themselves as being more than satisfied with the place. The service flag which was dedicated has eleven stars, representing eleven members of Twilight Lodge who have joined the United States army, as follows: Dr. C. L. Abbott, C. Smith, A. McArthur, E. George, I. George, A. L. Funley, A. S. Temple, W. McDonnell, N. Pleich, H. Fenton and T. E. Bollum.

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DESTROYERS NAMED FOR CIVAL WAR HEROES

WASHINGTON, March 7—The names of four American naval heroes, all rear admirals, have been given to new United States destroyers, the Navy Department announced today. The additions to the navy will be known as Redford, Boggs, Montgomery and Kilty.

Rear Admiral William Redford commanded the Cumberland when that vessel was sunk by the Confederate ironclad Merrimac at Hampton Roads; Rear Admiral Charles S. Boggs was in command of the Varuna, the only one of Farragut's flotilla lost in the battle of New Orleans; Rear Admiral John B. Montgomery commanded several squadrons and important naval stations, and Rear Admiral A. H. Kilty engaged in the organization and operation of the wetsern flotilla under Admiral Farragut.

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TWELVE BILLIONS OF INSURANCE WRITTEN

WASHINGTON, March 7—More than $12,000,000,000 worth of insurance has been written on lives of American soldiers, sailors and nurses by the war risk insurance bureau, Secretary McAdoo announced today. This covers more than 1,500,000 persons in the military or naval service. The average amount of insurance applied for is $8,085. The maximum permitted is $10,000 and the minimum $1,000.

Final figures show that the United States army, both here and abroad, is well above 90 per cent insured. In many camps 99 per cent of the personnel is protected by government insurance.

The secretary said that in five months the life underwriting section of the war risk bureau has grown to be the largest life insurance company in the world.

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ANOTHER CADET FLYER IS KILLED IN TEXAS

FORT WORTH, Tex., March 7—Burton Hurlburt, Royal Flying Corps cadet, whose mother lives at Prescott, Ontario, was killed this morning when he tried to make a landing. He was flying with an instructor at the time. The latter, in the back seat, escaped uninjured. Hurlburt is the thirty-sixth cadet killed here.

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ELLIS ISLAND TO BE USED BY U. S.

WASHINGTON, March 7—An agreement for the joint use of the immigration quarters at Ellis Isaind by the War, Navy and Labor departments was reached today, the Labor Department announced.

Because of the great falling off in immigration, to less than one-tenth of the normal figures, it was possible to utilize the island for other purposes.

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CITY COUNCIL HOLDS EXTRA MID-WEEK MEETING

At the midweek meeting of the city council last night it developed that the city may be compelled to appoint an official diver, a man who can go down to the bottom of the bay and spook around to see what it is all made of. Just now, according to an opinion expressed by the engineers it will be necessary to remove the stubs of the old test piles which were driven to ascertain the nature of the ground before beginning dredging for the harbor and in order to do so a man must be found who can don a diver's costume and go down into the water and find them.

It was also brought out that the contract held by the Richmond Dredging company had never been completed. The concern did a lot of work and then discovered that their equipment was not suitable to complete it and so gave it up, leaving the city in the lurch as it were. Since that time the price of labor and material has increased and it will cost the municipality, according to figures presented $16.90 per foot to do the work which is still necessary to be accomplished in order for the city to fulfill its agreement with the government, so that the federal appropriation will be forthcoming. As there are 730 feet yet to do, it can be easily figured out that it is going to cost the city the sum of $39,520 to finish it. It is claimed that the Richmond Dredging company, which is the concern operated by Cutting and Wernse, has done about $12,000 of the work.

The council will secure a boat Sunday and go out to look over the ground.

The council is of the opinion that the price asked for the re-surfacing of Standard avenue by the Municipal Improvement Company is too high and bids for the work will again be called for. Frank Welsh was present last night and told the members that they could save money by putting a Richmondite surface on the street, instead of asphalt and it may be he will be given a chance to bid on the job under new plans and specifications.

Herbert Brown objects to doing certain sewer work in certain parts of one of his tracts on the ground that his company is hard up for ready money and the further ground that the work is not now necessary. He offers to do such portions of the sewer construction as is needed at this time, but balks at that which he does not think is needed now. The matter will be further discussed at some future time.

The Certain-teed roofing company demands a larger sewer to take care of the waste water from its plant and offers to pay the extra expense involved, which will be something like $1791. The matter is being held in abeyance and will be acted on, probably at the next meeting of the board.

The paving of Tenth street down to Ellis Landing was another matter which came up for discussion last night. A form of agreement was drawn up between the Ellis Landing and Dock company and the city by which the former is to pay for its share of the assessment for the work, which also involves the construction of a storm sewer, within the next two years. The company also agrees to permit the dedication of the street through its property.

The city council, in order to protect the motoring public against further accidents at the crossing of Rullman avenue by the Santa Fe viaduct, has ordered a light installed at that point.

The city auditor was instructed to audit the books of the police court, so that the new police judge may know where he stands in regard to the financial affairs of the office which he has taken over.

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ROYAL ARCH MASONS ENJOY DANCING PARTY

An invitational dancing party given by the Royal Arch Masons in Bank Hall last evening, proved a very delightful event. The music furnished was of the best and an efficient floor committee saw to it that all had a good time.

Those on the committee were James Towers, Jr., R. H. Pertillion, C. D. Horner, John Breeze and John Chandler.

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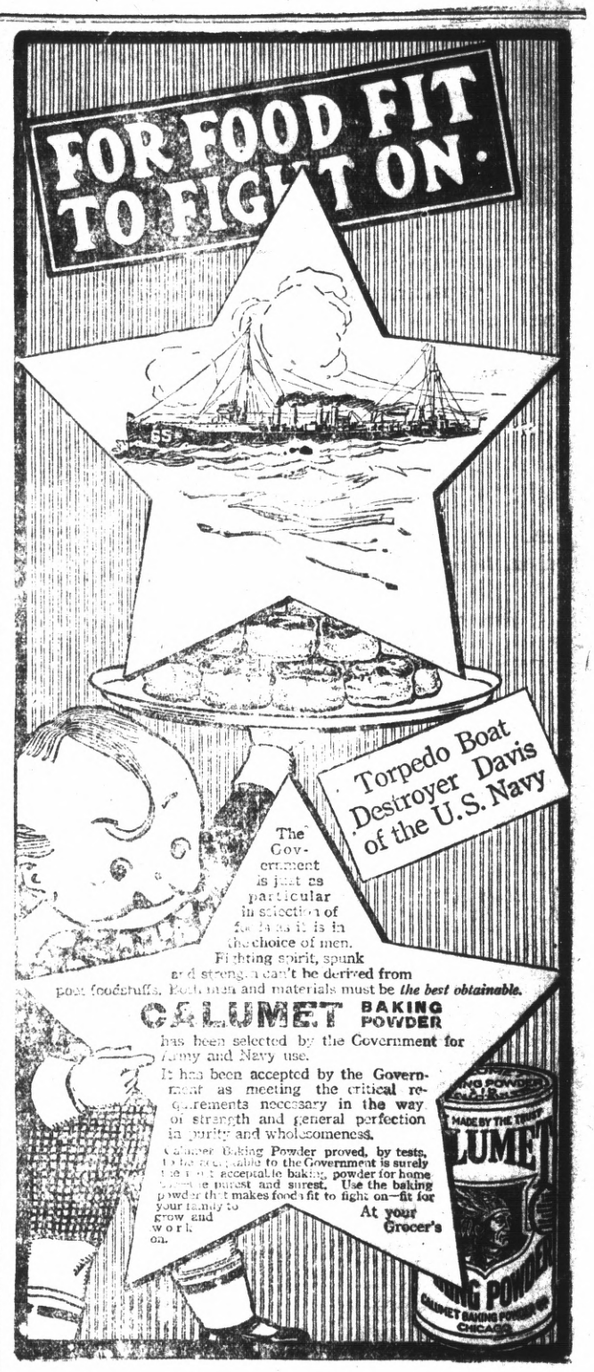
LIEUTENANT DELAP WRITES ANOTHER MISSIVE

Friends in San Francisco received another letter today from Lieutenant T. H. DeLap, who is in France with the American Expeditionary forces of General Pershing. DeLap says he is doing well and that is about all he does say. The first page of his letter today was found to be entirely missing and doubtless he must have given some information in the missing portion which the watchful censor did not like to trust to the mails.



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